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The Honorable Todd Apo, Chair
and Members of the City Council
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Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Chair and Council Members:

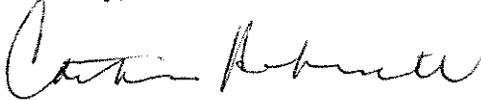
This is in support of the confirmation of Gordon Bruce's appointment to Director of the Department of Information Technology (DIT).

I have known Gordon for three years and have worked very closely with him during the period he served as a member of the Digital Communities CIO Task Force. Gordon is well known and respected for his vision and skills in problem solving through direct and sensible approaches. He has consistently exhibited his knowledge and expertise in the various subject areas of information technology and administrative activities, and he has always conducted himself in a professional manner.

Since his acceptance of the Director's position at the City & County of Honolulu, Gordon has continued to exhibit the same qualities, traits, knowledge and expertise that made him well respected over his career. I believe that he is most qualified and best suited for the job, and the best candidate to execute the mission of the Department. His friendly demeanor makes him very approachable and, as a result, communication with the department staff and other agencies has become more collaborative.

I respectfully encourage you to confirm Gordon Bruce's appointment.

Sincerely,



Cathilea Robinett
Executive Vice President
Center for Digital Government

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